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Two Assaults Against British Troops-Attack On French, Costly In Lives---Allies Are Some Reports Say In Disord - Greece May Remain

t the Bulgars 8,000 hough Successful, Was streating Into Greece, Passive If Bulgars Enter Te ory In Pursuit of Allies

GREECE YIELDS A POINT.

Salonika, Dec. 13 .- A satis-

factory agreement has been reached between the allies and

Greek authorities for free movement of the allies between Salonika and the frontier, the

zone in which the allies must retreat.

As part of the agreement, the allies took over the Salon-ika customs house.

A Greek division now a few miles northeast of Salonika

will be transfered to Seres 35

miles northeast and less than 30 miles from Bulgaria.

Italians Make Gains.

Rome, Dec. 13 .- "In the difficult

lofty zone between the Gindicaria and Concei valleys,'2 said the war office

CONQUEST OF SERBIA.

Berlin, by wireless to Say ville, L. I., Dec. 13.—The Teu-

ville, L. I., Dec. 13.—The Teutonic conquest of Serbia is completed, for the Anglo-Frenca
forces have been completely
driven out of the country.

Bulgars under General Todoroo occupied Lake Doiran and
Gievgeli, the war office announced today. Two English
divisions were annihilated in
the final fighting.

Athens, Dec. 13.-The allies reported evacuation of Giegveli and Lake Doir-an, in the southern corner of Serbia, was confirmed today. Pressing forward alowly, the Bulgars are said to be five miles from the Greek border.

Since Staturday, the allies have been retreating into Greece — in disorder some reports indicate. But they are expected to make a stand and fight off the pursuers at almost any moment. It is understood here that in the event the Bulgars enter Greeian territory and continue their orshught against the allies, Greece will not oppose them. Though the Bulgarians have done

valiantly, two assaults against the Pritish front cost them 8,000 troops. They swept forward in mass formation through a heavy fog to within 500 the war office claimed today. The invaders of the British line. Then may chine gun and rifle fire shattered their Rozaj.

ranks.

As for the French, the Bulgrs squeezed them against the River Vardar and then battered them southward toward Greece, Here again a fierce resistance made it costly for the assail-

By a successful flanking attack the bulgars, however, forced the French to evacuate strong positions in the hills and their artillery thereupon wrecked the French second line.

"There are no more free French or English in Montreal," the statement said.

win the war, Under Foreign Secretary Cecil fold commons today. He said that the commercial agreement assuring that articles Denmark imports from England will not go to Germany involved no change of policy.

Russians Capture Post.

Berlin, by wireless to Saveille T. T.

The last Serbian regulars have fled into Albania, while the Bulgars are pursuing them by way of Struga and Ochrida. Moreover, with the exception of a few hundred Serbian geerillas, no heatile forms required in Schlien form. hostile forces remain in Serbian territory to oppose the central allies.

Sunk by Submarine. London, Dec. 13.—The 2847 ton British vessel Pinegrove has been sunk by a submarine and 22 of her crew were

Will Avoid Conscription.
London, Dec. 13.—England, it is believed today, will avoid conscription.
Lord Derby's recriting campaign is reported to have brought 3,000,000 men to
the call of "your king and country."
Consequently, Derby, it is thought, will
tell parliament that compulsory service
measures are unlikely in the near future.

Have Sunk 508 Vessels. Have sums one vessels.

Herlin, by wireless to Snyville, L. L., risk, however remote, of sorely wantling ships and munitions if suddenly gation, Inve sunk 508 vessels of a total tonnage of 917,819 since the war started, it was this

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Abe Martin



Jap Kills Wife Just

Like a White Man

(United Press staff correspondent.)

WAR BREAKS OUT ON FORD'S PEACE SHIP

By Charles P Stewart,

Aboard the Peace Ship Osear II., by wireless to Landsend, England, Dec. 13.—War has broken out aboard the Henry Ford's peace argosy.
Several of the delegates, whom the Detroit automobile maker asked to help in straightening out Europe's war tangle, are preparing to quit the ship at Christiania, Norway, and return to America, because they allege, the extreme paelficists have the extreme pacificists have adopted an insulting attitude towards those upholding President Wilson's preparedness

fortrine.

Ford himself is trying hard to prevent an open break. He denies responsibility for "steam roller" tacties, employed by the extremists.

As a matter of fact, the accusation is not directed against Ford, but chiefly against Rev. Dr. Charles F. Aked of San Francisco, and Jenkin Lloyd

A complete split is imminent,
The row broke out Friday.
The San Francisco divine introduced a meeting of the peace
voyagers a resolution signed by
Ford and 23 others, opposing
preparedness. Aked intimated
that those who refused to sign
this document would be unloaded at the first nort. While ed at the first port. While Ford denied that they would be thus unloaded, he continued to support the anti-preparedness

The conversation veered into altercations in which the language became not only personal but profane.

Then when the situation made cooler heads fearful of a split,

ships to defend America as outlined in a mayal report published today.

In this report to congress, he asks \$217,052,174 for a starter. His five year total is \$502,428,214 or about \$600,000 more than the general board recommended—the first time a secretary has ever asked more than the board counselled.

His yrogram is for only five years, because a further time might mean that new inventions would replace the equipment and vessels now highly modern.

In 1921, under the present plan, the may will consist of 2: first line battleships, six battle cruisers, 25 second line battleships 10 armored cruisers, 18 of which would be ocean going, 20 gunboats and a number of auxiliary ships. In addition, Paniels would ave a well trained naval reserve.

Jap Kills Wife Just

Reaches Lowest Point

KILLED 4000 RABBITS.

North Powder, Or., Dec. 13 .- Four Low Angeles, Cal., Dec. 13.—Two bullet riddled bedies lay in the margue today as the result of a quarrel between Kozero Fokuda, Japanese ranch hand and his wife.

The Angeles, Cal., Dec. 13.—Four thousand rabbits, shipped to the Salvation Army at LaGrande, composed the bag of 300 hunters who engaged in the tween Kozero Fokuda, Japanese ranch have done heavy damage to farms here the salvation of the bag of 300 hunters who engaged in the bag of 300 After the wife left Fokuda's house he recently.

Between watchin' th' gasoline quotations an' stock an' grain markets in' farmer has little time fer nickel sheaters an' war news these days. Of all th' good advice, "Stop an' Think" is th' best.

Atter the wite left Forkday's house he with her photogroph as a target, then went to the residence of another Japanese shead of him as shields. At the first opportunity they fled in on her, holding a gun in each hand. Following this killing the man waited calmly until a posse appeared, then the died at the county hospital.

## **ACCIDENTALLY SHOT NEAR WEST SALEM**

Shotgun, With Muzzle Under His Chin, Discharged As He Closed Gate

dent of Polk county was killed about 8 o'clock this morning by the accidental discharge of his shot gun near his home one mile south of West Salem. Mr. Brophy pastured his cow in a hop yard across the Dallas, Falls City & Eastern railroad tracks and every morning led her down to the pasture gate Wild ducks frequently alight in a small creek near the gate and Mr. Brophy usually carried his shot gun down with him and several times had brought

Tames to the street of the course of the cou

valleys getting a drenching which will insure bumper crops. Twenty-eight inches of snow is reported at the summit of the Sierras. No ships will leave San Franeisco today, except the north coast passenger steamers.

Sacramento reported 4.64 inches of minfall at 7 a. m. to-day. The local weather bureau day. predicts a beavy rainfall all through the Sacramento valley during the next 24 hours and has warned all the cattlemen to remove their stock from the

### Chairman Hilles Has Won the 1916 Election

By Perry Arnold. (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

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Washington, Dec. 13.—The republibalance, and that party is going ahead
with a transmittent of the pressure of the press an national committee meets tomorrow.

It will choose a convention city and draw the necessary money to pay for date, and then adjourn confidently awaiting the November 1916 verdict which its leaders say, will be against the democracy.

Among those on hand today there was more than the usual buoyancy and hope.

Preparedness without even the foresight of considering whence they will this program. On the president's own admission, even without expenditures for armament the government will face an enormous and unprecedented deficit by the end of the fiscal year next June.

"And, aside from the question of

HAMMER CAUGHT ON THE

WIRES OF PASTURE GATE

Former Warden of State Pen and Well Known Citizen of Polk County

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Chairman Hilles of the national committee summed up the confident convictions of his colleagues thus:

"The democratic party has been tried before the bar of public opinion and convicted. The verdict will be a four years vacation for them. The corrective measure which the people will apply will oe four years of republican ranks contain half a dozen or more possibilities, behind whom the ever growing sentiment against democratic inefficiency would crystalize.

Henry B. Brophy, a well known resident of Polk county was killed about.

## MINNESOTA MAY BE SAY REVOLUTION SURE

San Francisco Chinese Al-Expected To Reach Bar This ready Raising Money To

the United States.

Leading Chinese merchants predict today that China will be torn with a revolution within a short time.

'Yuan Shi Kai took our republic from us and he shall suffer,' declared Trace King Chong at a tong meeting. Trong King Cheng at a tong meeting.

"Although we may not gain our liberty in this generation, we will keep fighting until we succeed. We will bleed and die for our country; we are no loneer slaves."

A nation-wide petition will be presented to President Wilson urging him art to recognize the new monarchy.

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not to recognize the new monarchy.

HELD UP BY THE BAR

Afternoon---May Not Try

China follows Japan's course, the Hay doctrine would probably be destroyed this is but a victim of his own troubles and this 'fopen door' will be finally ous occasions when she has succumbed closed.

Chinese Are Excited.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—The revolutionary flame in San Prancisco's Caina town was fanned today by excited orators who denounced the acceptance of the throne of China by President Yuan Shi Kai.

A campaign for funds to support a revolution in China, is in full swing, and large sums are said to have been received from the Chinese merchants predict the Chinese merchants predict.

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# WITHOUT DELAY

Note Sent Her Over the Sinking of the Ancona Demands Answer

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS MAY BE DISCONTINUED

**Emperor Is Told the Demands** Must Be Acceded To Without Quibbling

Washington, Dec. 13.—America will brook no delay from Austria in satis-fying demands made upon the latter in connection with the torpedoing of the Italian liner Ancona with loss of Amer-Italian liner Ancona with loss of American lives. In short, crisp terms the note, published broadcast today, demands denunciation of the act, punishment of the commander, reparation for lives lost. In words, bluntly frank, Austria is told of America's abhorrence of such an act.

How Germany will advise her ally Austria to answer is the big question in officialdom today. The note points out that Austria is familiar with the notes America has sent Germany. The kaiser, as directing spirit of the coal-

EX SENATOR COCKRELL DEAD



Oregon: Tonight and Teesday, accasional rain in west, accosional rain or snow in east portion; the winds are mostly southerly.